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this act are complied with, and said inspectors shall personally inspect, once in 12 months, as herein provided, every hotel, rooming house, apartment house, and restaurant as defined in this act, but it shall be unlawful for such inspector to make known to the proprietor in charge of such hotel his intentions to make inspection at such time. Said inspectors are hereby granted police power to enter any hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant at any reasonable hour to determine whether or not the provisions of this act are being complied with. The State board of health shall keep a complete set of books for public use and inspection showing the condition of each hotel, rooming house, apartment house, and restaurant so inspected, together with the name of the proprietor, and showing its sanitary conditions and the number and condition of its fire escapes and any other information for the benefit of the public service. It shall be the duty of the State board of health to furnish any citizen of the State with such blanks as to facilitate the reports desired to be made by any such citizen relative to any hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant subject to the provisions of this act and to enable such citizen to give an abstract of evidence or names of witnesses which may be produced to sustain the charge of any violation of this act.

SEC. 14. *Certificate of inspection.*—If the State board of health shall find, after examination and report of the inspector of any hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant in such county that this law has been fully complied with and the license fee paid, said board of health shall issue certificate to that effect to the proprietor of such hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant, and said certificate shall be kept posted up in a conspicuous place in said building.

SEC. 15. *False certificate.*—Any inspector or member of the State board of health who shall willfully certify falsely regarding any building inspected by him or under them [sic] or who shall issue a certificate to any person operating a hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant when the person operating the same has not complied with the provisions of this act, he shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than \$50 nor more than \$500, or shall be confined in the State prison for a year and a day, and shall forever be disqualified from holding any public office in the State of Oklahoma.

SEC. 16. *Resisting officer; violations of act.*—Any proprietor of a hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant who shall obstruct or hinder any inspector in the proper discharge of his duties under this act, or who shall operate such hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant, or keep the same open for the public after an examination thereof as provided in this act, without paying the license fee and obtaining the certificate authorized to be issued by this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 17. *Complaint.*—It shall be the duty of the inspector, upon ascertaining by inspection or otherwise, that after this act takes effect any hotel, rooming house, apartment house, or restaurant is being carried on contrary to the provisions of this act, to make complaint and cause the arrest of the person so violating same.

SEC. 18. *Violations; misdemeanor.*—Any violation of this act (where not otherwise provided for, both as to grade and punishment) shall constitute a misdemeanor, and any person convicted shall be fined in a sum not less than \$10 nor more than \$100, or by punishment [sic] or imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 5 nor more than 60 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

#### **Advertisements—Untrue, Deceptive, or Misleading, Prohibited. (Chap. 61, Act Mar. 3, 1915.)**

SECTION 1. *Misrepresenting wares; penalty.*—That any person, firm, corporation, or association who, with intent to sell or in anywise dispose of merchandise, securities, service, or anything offered by such person, firm, corporation, or association, directly or indirectly, to the public for sale or distribution, or with intent to increase the con-

sumption thereof, or to induce the public in any manner to enter into any obligation relating thereto or to acquire title thereto or an interest therein, makes, publishes, disseminates, circulates, or places before the public, or causes directly or indirectly to be made, published, disseminated, circulated, or placed before the public in this State in a newspaper or other publication or in form of a book, notice, handbill, poster, bill, circular, pamphlet, or letter, or in any other way an advertisement of any sort regarding merchandise, securities, service, or anything so offered to the public, which advertisement contains any assertion, representation, or statement of fact which is untrue, known by him to be deceptive or misleading, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$50 or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding 20 days, or both such fine and imprisonment.

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#### Occupational Diseases—Notification of Cases. (Chap. 1226, Act Apr. 23, 1915.)

SECTION 1. Every physician in this State attending on or called in to visit a patient whom he believes to be suffering from poisoning from lead, phosphorus, arsenic, brass, wood alcohol, mercury, or their compounds, or from anthrax, or from compressed-air illness, or any other ailment or disease, contracted as a result of the nature of the patient's employment, shall within 48 hours of such attendance send to the State board of health a report stating:

- (a) Name, address, and occupation of patient.
- (b) Name, address, and business of employer.
- (c) Nature of disease.
- (d) Such other information as may be reasonably required by the State board of health.

The reports herein required shall be on or in conformity with the standard schedule blanks hereinafter provided for. The posting of the report, within the time required, in a stamped envelope addressed to the office of the State board of health, shall be a compliance with this section.

SEC. 2. The State board of health shall prepare and furnish, free of cost to the physicians included in section 1, standard schedule blanks for the reports required under this act. The form and contents of such blanks shall be determined by the State board of health.

SEC. 3. Reports made under this act shall not be evidence of the facts therein stated in any action arising out of the disease therein reported.

SEC. 4. It shall furthermore be the duty of the State board of health to transmit a copy of all such reports of occupational disease to the chief factory inspector.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect on the first day of July, 1915.

#### Vaccination—Certificate from a Physician a Prerequisite for Attendance of Pupils at Public Schools. (Chap. 1201, Act Apr. 21, 1915.)

SECTION 1. Section 10 of chapter 73 of the General Laws, entitled "General provisions relating to public schools," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"SEC. 10. No person shall be permitted to attend any public school in this State as a pupil unless such person shall furnish to the teacher of such school a certificate of some practicing physician that such person has been properly vaccinated as a protection from smallpox, or a certificate of a practicing physician, granted for cause stated therein, that such person is not a fit subject for vaccination; and every teacher in the public schools shall keep a record of the names of such pupils in their respective schools as have presented a certificate as required herein."